DAVID RUBENSTEIN, FACHE

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David Rubenstein is a retired Army Major General who excelled as a leader and follower at all levels of the Army Medical Department. He continues to serve Army Medicine as an executive mentor. He also shares his leadership lessons as a public speaker and non-profit board member.

In addition to serving as the Army's Deputy Surgeon General and Chief of the Medical Service Corps, David spent 12 of his 35 Army years in command. He was the Commanding General of the Army Medical Department Center and School and Commanding General of the Army's Europe Regional Medical Command. Other commands included the 30th Medical Brigade and Landstuhl Regional Medical Center (both in Germany), 21st Combat Support Hospital, Task Force Med Eagle while deployed to Bosnia & Herzegovina, 18th Surgical Hospital (MASH), and Headquarters Company, 307th Medical Battalion (Airborne), 82nd Airborne Division.

David is a graduate of Texas A&M University and the Army War College and has earned a master's degree in health administration from Baylor University. He has been inducted as an Outstanding Alumnus of Texas A&M University's College of Education and Human Development, into the Hall of Honor of Texas A&M University's Corps of Cadets, and into Baylor University's Alumni Association Hall of Fame. He is listed in six separate Who's Who publications, was twice included in Modern Healthcare's list of the 100 most influential people in Healthcare, and has received the 2013 Baylor University Board of Regent's Healthcare Medal of Service.

His professional credentials include being a board-certified healthcare executive who is a past Chairman of the Board of Governors of the American College of Healthcare Executives. He has previously served on several volunteer boards and task forces to include Texas A&M University's Association of Former Students, the USO of San Antonio and Bexar County, Texas, a special committee of the American Board of Medical Specialties, the South Texas Chapter of the American College of Healthcare Executives, and AMSUS: The Society of Federal Health Professionals, of which he has been honored as its only Chairman Emeritus.

Among his military awards and decorations are the Distinguished Service Medal, Defense Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Humanitarian Service Medal, NATO Medal, German Proficiency Badge (Gold). He has earned the Expert Field Medical Badge, Master and Canadian Parachutist Badges, Ranger Tab, German Marksmanship Badge, German Sports Badge, Army Staff Identification Badge, and The Surgeon General's "A" professional proficiency designator.

David has received the highest award presented by the American College of Healthcare Executives, its Gold Medal, and has received the Outstanding Federal Healthcare Executive Award from the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States. Among his many other honors, he earned the inaugural US Army Medical Service Corps Mentor of the Year Award. He has been inducted into the Army Medical Department's Order of Military Medical Merit, the Army Aviation community's Order of Saint Michael, and the Upsilon Phi Delta National Honor Society for Health Administration.

Currently he

- Serves The Army Surgeon General & Army Medical Command as an executive mentor;
- Serves on the Surgery Review Committee of the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education;
- Serves as a board member and a board officer on a variety of non-profit boards the Texas A&M University Corps of Cadets Board of Visitors, and the Army Medical Service Corps Silver Caduceus Association:
- Serves as a public speaker with a motivational message for emerging / established leaders & mentors;
- Writes professionally.

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